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**IN VACATION.**

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**A Stickler for Accuracy.**—Previous to joining the army he had been a lawyer. Getting back to camp rather late one night, he was challenged by the sentry. Obtaining no response, the latter lifted his rifle and roared:

"If you move you are a dead man."

"Allow me to remark, my good man," said the lawyer-soldier, "that your statement is absurd. If I move it is excellent proof that I am alive. To my mind it is incomprehensible that—"

"Pass, Mr. Blackstone," said the sentry.—Ex.

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**The Solid South.**—A Milwaukee lawyer tells this story: "It was in one of the rock-ribbed Democratic districts of Mississippi. During a Congressional election, someone asked an old "colonel" if they had no Republicans in the district. The old timer replied that some years before a Republican had been a candidate for Congress, had received two votes and was promptly arrested for repeating."—Ex.

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**Action Not Words.**—"Prisoner at the bar," said the judge, "is there anything you wish to say before sentence is passed upon you?"

"No, my lord, there is nothin' I care to say; but if you'll clear away the tables and chairs for me to thrash my lawyer, you can give me a year or two extra."—Ex.

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**A Modest Robber.**—Magistrate (about to commit for trial): You certainly effected the robbery in a remarkably ingenious way; in fact, with quite exceptional cunning.

Prisoner: Now, yer honor, no flattery, please; no flattery, I begs yer.—London Sketch.

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**Penalty for Bigamy.**—Sir Charles Russell was once sitting in a court when another barrister, leaning across the benches during the hearing of a trial for bigamy, whispered:

"Russell, what's the extreme penalty for bigamy?"

"Two mothers-in-law," replied Russell, without hesitation.—Law Notes.

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**Election of Arrests.**—Judge—"You let the burglar go to arrest an automobilist?"

Policeman—"Yes. The autoist pays a fine and adds to the resources of the state; the burglar goes to prison, and the state has to pay for his keep."—Ex.